delivered to the other Trustee, if any; to any person who shall be successor to the Trustee so resigning; and to the person or persons who are then entitled to receive the income of such trust or to the guardian or guardians of any such person or persons who may then be under age, but such resignation shall not operate to relieve such Trustee of such Trustee's obligation ultimately to account for said proceedings.

SEVENTEENTH: Whenever necessary or appropriate, the use herein of either gender shall be deemed to include the other gender, the use herein of either the singular or the plural shall be deemed to include the other, and the use herein of either the term Executor or Executrix shall be deemed to include the other.

As used herein, the term "per stirpes" with reference to the issue of any individual shall mean that the stocks begin with the children of such individual.

In any proceeding relating to my estate or any trust created hereunder, service of process upon any person under a disability shall not be required when another person not under a disability is a party to the proceeding and has the same interest as the person under the disability.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have subscribed and sealed and do publish and declare these presents as and for my Last Will and Testament, in the presence of the

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witnesses attesting the same at my request, this 1st day of December, in the year Two

Thousand and Four.

The foregoing instrument consisting of twentynine (29) typewritten pages (including the page on which the undersigned have subscribed our names as witnesses) was at the date thereof subscribed, sealed, published and declared by the Testator, JOSEPH H. GARDNER, as and for his Last Will and Testament, in the presence of us and each of us, who, at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto (the final clause of the Will having been read aloud to us by the Testator immediately after he had signed the Will), this 1st day of December, in the year Two Thousand and Four.

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To Charlotte Gardner, Danielle B Gardner, Budd Goldman, segreetings 15 to 25 to 15 t WHEREAS you have duly qualified according to law to act as TRUSTEE under the last will and testament of accept the Gardner deceased, which was duly admitted to probate by decree of the Surrogate's Court of New York County of dune 26, 2006. NOW, THEREFORE, FOOM WE that you are hereby abthorazed to administer the trusts created under sand will med U/A SIXTH TRUST CHARIOTTE GARDNER subject to the jurisdiction and supervision of this court. Clerk of the Sumogate's Court (2) Attention is called to the provision of Sec. 11 16 of Estates. Powers and Trusts haw and, Sec. 19 of Surrogate's Court Procedure Act, which make it a misdemeanor and a cause for removal for an executor, administrator trustee of guardian to deposit of invest estate funds in his individual account or name AFI estate funds must be deposited in the name of the executor administrator trustee or guardian in his or her representative capacity and to the credit of the estate. Sec. 708 and Sec. 711 of the Surrogate's Court Procedure Act provide that if a fiduciary shall change his address he shall promptly notify the court of his new address and that failure to do so within thirty (30) days after such change may result in the suspension or revocation of letters. Dukrga lesters ragate b. O. o. Colling is dem Cork Surpare's Circlette Dinity of Aut Livia Surgic's Court of the County of Seu York Survente's Court of the County of Aux Lork Pirengita's Court of the County of Kent Jock Socragate's Court of the County of Rew York Burragate's Court of the County of Ken Jurk

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AGREEMENT OF PARTHERSHIP

AGREEMENT made as of this 21 day of August , 1975, among PETER WEISMAN, residing at 445 East 80th Street, New York, N.Y. and JOSEPH H. GARDNER, residing at 160 East 84th Street, New York, N.Y., hereinafter referred to as the General Partners and ALAN ADES, residing at 19 Heathcote Road, Scarsdale, N.Y., ALBERT ERANI, residing at 401 East 81st Street, New York, N.Y. and DENNIS ERANI, residing at 1269 Ocean Parkway, Brooklyn, N.Y. hereinafter referred to as the Limited Partners.

WHEREAS, the General Partners on behalf of themselves have, on January 24, 1975, acquired premises known as 91 Seventh Avenue, New York, N.Y., and more particularly described in Exhibit "A" which is attached hereto and made a part hereof and is herein referred to as "the Property", and

WHEREAS, the parties hereto desire to form a Limited Partnership under the laws of the State of New York for the purposes and on the terms and conditions herein set forth, and

WHEREAS, the General Partners have simultaneously herewith conveyed the property to the Limited Partnership organized pursuant to this agreement,

NOW, THEREFORE, it is mutually agreed as follows:

1. FORMATION. The parties do hereby form a Limited Partnership pursuant to the provisions of Article 8 of the Partnership Law of the State of New York.

NAME. The Partnership shall be conducted under the name of 160 ASSOCIATES.

3. PURPOSE. The purpose of the Partnership is to remodel and reconstruct, own, manage, mortgage, create security interests in, lease, improve, exchange, sell or otherwise transfer or dispose of the Property. To effectuate the foregoing, the partnership is empowered to accept a deed from the General Partners and, from time to time, to transfer the Property to a nominee as shall be deemed necessary and to reimburse the nominee for any costs, charges or expenses to which it has been subjected.

The General Partners have heretofore made advances to

pay the full cash consideration to cover the cost of acquisition

of the Property and other expenses in connection therewith.

- August 1 , 1975, and shall continue until December 31, 1995 provided, however, that the Partnership shall be dissolved prior to such date upon (a) any disposition by the Partnership of the Property including any mortgages or property interests which may be acquired by the Partnership in exchange therefor, or (b) the desire of the General Partners to dissolve the Partnership manifested as set forth in paragraph 20 hereof, or (c) the death, retirement, resignation, bankruptcy, receivership, or incapacity of either of the General Partners as provided in paragraph 18 hereof.
- 5.. PRINCIPAL OFFICE: The principal office of the Partnership shall be maintained at 100 West 15th Street, New York N.Y. (c/o P. & J. Realty Company) or at such other place as the General Partners from time to time may determine.
- 6. GENERAL PARTNERS. Peter Weisman and Joseph H. Gardner shall be the General Partners.
- 7. LIMITED PARTNERS, Alan Ades, Albert Erani and Dennis Erani shall be the Limited Fartners.
- 8. CAPITAL CONTRIBUTION OF LIMITED PARTNERS. The Limited Partners shall contribute to the capital of the Partners the amount of \$60,000 in the proportions set opposite their respective names:

NAME	AMOUNT
Alan Ades	\$ 30,009.00
Albert Erani	\$ 25,714.00
Dennis Erani	\$ 4,286.00

9. PROFITS AND LOSSES. (a) Subject to subparagraph (b) hereof, the net profits of the Partnership shall be divided and any losses shall be borne by each of the Partners in the following proportions (subject, however, insofar as the Limited Partners are concerned, to the limitation of their liability to

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the amount, of their individual investment as herein provided):

PARTNER		PERC	CENTAGE
Alan Ades Albert Erani			21% 18%
Dennis Erani Peter Weisma		•	3% 29% \
Joseph H. Ga	rdner	;	29%

- (b) There shall be paid to the General Partners and to the Lim Partners during the time each of them is a partner of the Partnership, out of the net cash flow, as hereinafter defined, any, generated by the operation of the partnership in each calendar year beginning with the commencement date as hereinafted of the following amounts to be charged against the respectantial accounts of the partners receiving:
 - (i) To the Limited Partners out of the first net cash flow not to exceed \$18,000.00 per annum, an amount equal to their respective percentages as shown in (a) above.
 - (ii) To each of the General Partners on the next \$25,000.00 per annum of net cash flow in excess of the \$18,000.00 provided in (i) above an amount equal to one-half (1/2) thereof.
 - (iii) To the Limited Partners and General Partners, all net cash flow in excess of \$43,000.00 in amounts equal to their respective percentage interest as shown in (a) above or as it may exist from time to time.
 - (iv) Said payments as provided in this subparagraph (b) shall only be paid out of non-cumulative net cash flow, if any, generated each year by the operation of the Partnership computed in accordance with method prescribed in subparagraph (c) of this Article.
- (c) The term "net cash flow" shall mean (1) plus (2) minus the aggregate of (3) and (4) as follows:
- (1) The gross income from the Partnership assets computed in accordance with sound cash basis accounting principles including all income earned or received from all sources whatsoever a addirect or indirect result of the ownership or operation of the Partnership assets such as, but without limitation, (i) the grown amount of all cash payments received whether as rent, additionarent, fees, charges or otherwise, (ii) sundry income, (iii) concession income, (iv) interest on deposits, (v) the net amount of any refund of impositions of taxes applicable to any pariod this Agreement, (vi) the proceeds from the sale of any property

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of or in addition to such cash payments, (vii) the proceeds of any sale of personal property or fixtures now or hereafter located on the Property and Improvements and (viii) the amount any other consideration, tangible or intangible, received in relation to or in connection with the Property and Improvements any appurtenance thereto (but not including (a) proceeds of insurance received and used, or to be used for restoration of t Property and Improvements in the event of damage or destruction thereof or (b) proceeds of any sale, assignment, transfer, or mortgage as permitted herein, of the whole or any part of the interest of a party hereto) received by the Partnership, any of the Partners, the Manager or any other person on behalf of the Partnership, or by any associates, subsidiaries, agents, office directors or employees of any of the Partnership or the Manager or by any corporation, partnership, organization or individual: which the Partners or the Manager or their associates, director officers, agents or employees have any interest, direct or indirect, which is attributable in any degree to the ownership, leasing, management, operation, use or servicing of the Propert and Improvements or other assets of the Partnership!

- (2) The amount of (1) any unused portion of any capit contributions of the Partners, (ii) any proceeds received from the mortgaging of the Property and Improvements, the refinancin (to the extent that the proceeds exceed the amount of the mortg or deed of trust being refinanced) of any mortgage or deed of trust on the Property and Improvements or the sale of the Property and Improvements or any part thereof; and (iii) any payments received as a result of any other transactions involvi the ownership, operation or maintenance of the Property and Improvements which do not come within (1) above.
- (3) In accordance with found cash basis, accounting principles consistently applied, insurance charges, real estate taxes, assessments, reasonable legal expenses, water, fuel, electricity, repairs and maintenance, supplies, decorating, non fees paid to Certifled Public Accountants, reasonable managemen emenses, and any other items which are normally considered

operating expenses" (excluding, however, any income or franchise tax imposed by Federal, State or local governments on either of the Partners in their individual capacity, plus the aggregate amount of principal and interest paid under mortgages or deeds of trust on the Property and Improvements and under loans incurred in connection with the Property and Improvements as well as the cost of capital acquisitions, alterations or improvements, to the extent of payments made or provided for during the fiscal year, (except that in the event and to the extent that, capital acquisitions, alterations or improvements are paid for out of borrowed funds, the amount paid or provided during the fiscal year for interest and amortization on mortgages or deeds of trust or loans made for such purpose shall be deducted from net cash flow in lieu of deducting the cost of such capital alterations an improvements):

(4) A reasonable reserve for budgeted tenants work and for interest and amortization on mortgages or deeds of trust and loans, real estate taxes, assessments, water charges, sewer rents insurance, commissions and other expenses generally treated on an accrual basis.

In computing net cash flow, no deduction shall be made fo depreciation or amortization as such terms are used for the purposes of the Internal Revenue Code, it being agreed that depreciation and amortization shall be allocated to each Partner in proportion to its Distribution Percentage Interest.

- (d) The "commencement date", as used in subparagraph (b) of this Article for the payments, if any, provided in said subparagraph, shall mean a date ninety (90) days after receipt by the Partners! from the City of New York of a permanent Certificate of Occupancy and if such date shall be other than January 1st, then the amount of net cash flow stipulated in subparagraph (b) shall be proportionately reduced to cover the number of months remaining in such year. The payments, if any, stipulated in said subparagraph (b) shall be made to the partners entitled thereto forty five (45) d: after the end of each calendar year.
- (e) That the certificate of the Partnership's accountant or accountants specifying, under his or their hands and scals, the

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amount of net cash flow generated in the Partnership's business during each calendar year, shall be accepted by each of the partners as conclusive evidence of the amount of the net cash flow in which the Partners shall be entitled to share as hereinbefore provided.

- LOSSES OF LIMITED PARTNERS. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, the liability of any Limited Partner for the losses of the Partnership shall in no event exceed in the aggregate the value of his contributions to the capital of the Partnership as it exists from time to time. Any losses in excess of such amount shall be borne solely by the General Partners in equal amounts, regardless of the percentage of interest.
- 11. SALARIES, DRAWINGS, AND INTEREST ON CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS. None of the Partners (General or Limited) shall receive any salary or drawings for services rendered on behalf of the Partnership in their capacity as Partners, nor shall any Partner receive any interest on his contribution to the capital of the Partnership, except, during the reconstruction and remodelling period ("reconstruction period") of the Property (such period shall be from August 1, 1975 to the date the Partnership receives a new. permanent Certificate of Occupancy);
 - (i) the Limited Fartners agree, in consideration of payment by General Partners of all expenses and carrythe Limited Partners agree, in consideration ing charges for the Property from January 24, 1975 to August 1, 1975, to be charged with the first \$60,000.00 of losses sustained by the Partnership in the percentage of their respective interest,
 - (ii) the excess of such losses, over and above said \$60,000.00, applicable to the General Partners interest, shall first be charged against the capital account of Joseph H. Gardner to the extent and in the amount of the cash drawings of Peter Weisman as provided in (iii) below, and the balance of such losses shall be charged against the capital accounts of all the Partners in the percentages provided in Article 8 hereof,
 - (iii) Peter Weisman shall draw against his capital account the sum of \$500.00 per week,
 - (iv) General Partners shall draw from the capital of the Partnership \$50,000.00 (in addition to payments made to Peter Weisman as provided in (iii) above) of approximately \$125,000.00 they have heretofore expended to carry the Proparty and for the physical improvement thereof from a date prior to the acquisition thereof to the data hereof, leaving a net of approximately \$75,000.00 due the General Partners, and

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shall be shared equal y between to said Gener I Partners.

MANAGEMENT, DUTIES, AND RESTRICTIONS. 12. General Partners shall manage the Partnership business and shall devote such time to the Partnership as shall be reasonably requir for its welfare and success. The General Partners shall have the right, in their discretion, on behalf of the Partnership to borro or lend money, to make, deliver, or accept any commercial paper a execute any mortgage, security agreement, bond, or lease, and to purchase or contract to purchase or sell or contract to sell any property for or of the Partnership, except, however, in the event (a) the first mortgage for which the General Partners now hold a Commitment from the Lincoln Savings Bank, is refinanced, or (b) a new second mortgage is placed against the Property. (the foregoin not including any of the present mortgages now liens against the Property and intended to be satisfied or assigned to a prospectiv lender of a building loan), or (c) the Property is sold, the Gene Partners shall first obtain, prior to the happening of any such events, the written consent of the Limited Partners, which conser the Limited Partners covenant will not be unreasonably withheld.

- (b) Subject to subparagraph (a) above, no Limited Partner shall participate in the management of the Partnership business. Except as otherwise provided in paragraph 18 hereof, no Limited Partner shall have the right to demand or receive property other than cash in return for his contribution. Subject to paragraph thereof, no Limited Partner shall have priority over any other Limited Partner either as to contributions to capital or as to compensation by way of income.
- (c) Except for the limited requirements set forth in subparage (a) of this paragraph, the Limited Partners hereby consent to an sale or other disposition, encumbrance, mortgage, security agreem lease (or modification, cancellation, or replacement of any exist mortgage or lease) by the General Partners on behalf of the Partnership, of any or all of the Partnership's assets on such terms and conditions as may be determined by the General Partnership in their sole discretion, and to the employment, when and if required, of such brokers, accountants, managing, and other agand attorneys as the General Partners may from time to time

determine, except that if the General Partners, or an entity or management firm ("entity") which they own, shall manage the Partnership Property it is agreed that the Partnership shall pay them or the entity, as the case may be, a proportionate share of the costs and expenses that the General Partners or the entity may incur in managing all the properties under the supervision of the General Partners or the entity or both as distinguished from the usual management fee paid a real estate managing company for managing the Property. The fact that a Partner, General or Limite or a member of his family is employed by, or directly or indirect interested in or connected with, any person, firm, or corporation employed by the Partnership to render or perform a service, or from which the Partnership may purchase any property, shall not prohibit the General Partners from employing such person, firm, or corporation, or from otherwise dealing with him or it, and neither the Partnership nor any of the Partners herein shall have any rights in or to any income or profits derived therefrom as a consequence of the Partnership relationship herein created.

- (d) Any of the Partners, General or Limited, may engage in and possess an interest in other business ventures of every nature are description, independently or with others, including but not limited to the ownership, financing, leasing, operation, management or development of real property, and neither the Partnership nor of its Partners thereof shall have any rights by virtue of this agreement in and to such independent ventures or the income or profits derived therefrom.
- deposited in such bank account or accounts as shall be designated by the General Partners. Withdrawals from any such bank account or accounts shall be made upon such signature or signatures as tignature Partners may designate.

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security agreement, lease, contract of sale, or other commitmes purporting to convey or encumber the interest of the Partnersh in all or any portion of any real or personal property at any held in its name, shall be signed by either of the General Partners and no other signature shall be required. No person: be required to inquire into the authority to sign any document pursuant to the provisions of this paragraph. The Partnership assets or a portion thereof may be held in the name of a corpor nominee, selected by the General Partners. The General Partner however, in such event, shall notify each of the Limited Partner of the name and address of such nominee, the specific property so held, and any terms and conditions attached to such holding.

15. BOOKS OF ACCOUNT. The Partnership shall maintain full and accurate books in its principal office or such office shall be designated for such purpose by the General Partners are all partners shall have the right to inspect and examine such that reasonable times. The books shall be closed and balanced at the end of each calendar year. Annual statements showing the Partnership profits and losses for the fiscal year and indicate the share of profit or loss of each partner for income tax purposhall be prepared by the accountants for the Partnership and distributed to all the Partners within a reasonable time after close of each fiscal year.

16. ASSIGNABILITY. No Limited Partner shall have the right to substitute an assignee as contributor or substituted Limited Partner in his place. Any Limited Partner may assign he interest in the Partnership without the consent of the General. Partners provided that such Limited Partner and his assignee she execute such instruments as the General Partners may reasonably deem necessary to effectuate an assignment and shall furnish the General Partners with duplicate original copies thereof, and pay if any, expenses that may necessarily and actually be incurred such transfer or assignment, except that a Limited Partner named herein shall have the right to transfer his interests herein to any other Limited Partner named herein or to change their respect percentage interests among themselves without complying with the requirements provided in this paragraph, except that the Limited Partner shall, upon such occurrence, serve written notice upon the

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General Partners and the Partnership and shall pay, if any, any expenses necessarily and acturally incurred in connection with such change.

- 17. POWER OF ATTORNEY. Each of the Limited Partners hereby irrevocably constitutes and appoints the General Partners his true and lawful attorney, in his name, place and stead, to make, execute, acknowledge, and file:
- (a) A certificate of limited partnership under the laws of the State of New York;
- (b) Any certificate or other instrument which may be required to be filed by the Partnership under the laws of the State of New York or which the General Partners shall deem it advisable to file;
- (c) Any and all amendments or modifications of the instrument described in the preceding subdivisions (a) and (b); and
- (d) All documents which may be required to effectuate the dissolution and termination of the Partnership; it being expressly understood and intended by each of the Limited Partners that the grant of the foregoing power of attorney is coupled with an interest.
- 18. DEATH, RETIREMENT, BANKAUPTCY OR RECEIVERSHIP.

 In the event of the death, retirement, resignation, adjudication of insanity or incompetancy, expulsion, bankruptcy or receivership of either of the General Partners, the Partnership shall be dissolved and terminated.
- Partner shall not dissolve the Partnership nor terminate the Partnership. In the event of such death, the personal represent tive of the deceased Limited Partner shall have all the rights c a Limited Partner in the Partnership to the extent of the decease interest therein, subject to the terms and conditions of this agreement.
- may be terminated by the General Partners at their sole discreti prior to the end of the Partnership term after at least 60 days prior written notice by the General Partners to each of the Limited Partners.

- 21. DISTRIBUTIONS ON TERMINATION. In the event of the dissolution or termination of the Partnership, the General Partners or the survivor shall proceed to the liquidation of the Partnership and the proceeds of such liquidation shall be applied and distributed in the following order or priority:
- (a) Payment of the debts and liabilities of the Partnership ar the expenses of liquidation.
- (b) To the setting up of any reserves which the General Partners may deem necessary for any contingent or unforeseen liabilities or obligations of the Partnership. Such reserves shabe paid over to an attorney at law of the State of New York as escrowee to be held by him for the purpose of disbursing such reserves in payment of any of the aforementioned contingencies and at the expiration of such period as the parties shall deem advisable to distribute the balance thereafter remaining as hereinafter provided.
- (c) To the repayment of any loans or advances that may have been made by any of the partners to the Partnership, but if the amount available for such repayment shall be insufficient, then pro rata on account thereof.
 - (d) Any balance remaining shall then be distributed:
 - (i) Among the Limited Partners pro rata to the extent of their unreimbursed capital contribution.
 - (ii) To the General Partners to the extent of their unreimbursed capital contribution.
 - (iii)Among all the partners, General and Limited, in proportions set forth in paragraph 9 hereof, to the extent they would otherwise share in the profits and losses of the Partnership.

In lieu of sale, the Partnership assets may be distributed in kind, each partner accepting an undivided interest in the partne ship's assets subject to its liabilities in satisfaction of his interest in the Partnership.

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22. LIQUIDATION. A reasonable time shall be allowed for the orderly liquidation of the assets of the Partnership and the discharge of liabilities to creditors so as to enable the General Partners to minimize the normal losses attendant upon a liquidation. Each of the partners shall be furnished with a statement prepared by the Partnership's then Certified Public Accountants, which shall set forth the assets and liabilities of the Partnership as at the date of complete liquidation. Upon the General Partners' complying with the distribution plan set forth in Paragraph 21 hereof (including payment over to the Attorney-Escrowee if there are sufficient funds therefor), the Limited Partners shall cease to be such, and the General Partners, as the sole remaining partners of the Partnership, shall execute, acknowledge, and cause to be filed a Certificate of Cancellation of the Partnership.

23. PERSONAL LIABILITY. Except as provided in paragraph 9(e) hereof, the General Partners shall not be personally liable for the return of the capital contributions thereof, it being expressly understood that any such return shall be made solely from the partnership assets as herein provided.

or failure to do any act by the General Partners, the effect of which may cause or result in loss or damage to the Partnership, if pursuant to opinion of legal counsel employed by the General Partners on behalf of the Partnership, shall not subject the General Partners to any liability.

25. INDEMNIFICATION. The Partnership shall indemnify and save harmless the General Partners from any loss or damage incurred by them by reason of any act performed by them for and behalf of the Partnership and in furtherance of its interests. T foregoing shall not relieve the General Partners of liability fo gross negligence or willful malfeasance.

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26. NOTICES. All notices provided for in this agreement shall be directed to the parties at the addresses here set forth and to the Partnership at its principal office by Registered or Certified Mail.

27. BINDING EFFECT. This agreement shall be binding upon all the parties and their estates, heirs, legatees and successors and assigns.

28. EXECUTION. This agreement may be executed in several counterparts and all so executed shall constitute one agreement, binding on all the parties hereto, notwithstanding that all the parties are not signatory to the original or the sa counterpart.

29. APPLICABLE LAW. This agreement and the rights of the parties hereunder shall be interpreted in accordance with th laws of the State of New York.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement as of the day and year st above written.

PARTNERS:

STATE OF NEW YORK) COUNTY OF NEW YORK)

On the 2 day of August, 1975, before me personally came PETER WEISMAN to the known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the foregone acknowledged that he executed the same.

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On the 2 day of August, 1975, before me personally came JOSEPH H. GARDNER to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same.

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On the Zl day of August , 1975; before me personally came DENNIS ERANI to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same.

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City and County of New York, bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Seventh Avenue with the southerly side of 16th Street; running thence easterly along said southerly side of 16th Street 150 feet; thence southerly parallel with Seventh Avenue 103 feet 3 inches to the center line of the block between 15th and 16th Streets; thence westerly along said center line of the block and parallel with 16th Street 50 feet; thence northerly parallel with Seventh Avenue 25 feet 9-3/4 inches; thence westerly parallel with 16th Street 100 feet to the easterly side of Seventh Avenue; and thence northerly along the easterly side of Seventh Avenue 77 feet 5-1/4 inches to the corner aforesaid, the point or place of Beginning.

EXHIBIT "A

RIDER TO AGREEMENT OF PARTNERSHIP MADE THIS 2/at DAY OF AUGUST, 1975, AMONG PETER WEISMAN AND JOSEPH H. GARDNER, AS GENERAL PARTNERS, AND ALAN ADES, ALBERT ERANI AND DENNIS ERANI, AS LIMITED PARTMERS

- The clauses contained in this Rider shall supersede any inconsistent provisions elsewhere in the Agreement of Partnership contained.
- 2. Section 4(b) and Article 18 of the Agreement are hereby deleted, The words "retirement, resignation" are hereby deleted from Section 4(c) and Article 18 of

the Agreement, except in the west of the prin wither answer of a myinty of the limited Partiers.

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tributed to the limited partners.

- 4. The partnership's accountants shall be Gardner, Waschler, Freeman & Co. No change shall be made in the partnership's accountants without the consent of a majority of the limited partners.
- 5. The general partners represent and warrant as follows:
- (a) The property is to be renovated as a building with 69 apartments and approximately 3,400 square feet of commercial space on the ground floor, a commercial basement area, and is to be a six-story elevator building.
- (b) The property qualifies for tax exemption pursuant to Section 421 of the Real Property Tax Law. Annexed hereto as Exhibit B is a true and accurate

tion, which certificate is in full force and effect.

- (c) Annexed hereto as Exhibit C is a true, correct and complete copy of a letter dated

 August 6, 1975 from Chemical Bank to P & J Realty Co.,

 which letter contains a building loan commitment. The

 commitment as set forth in said letter remains unmodified

 and in full force and effect.
- (d) The general partners agree to indemnify the limited partners of and from all losses, costs and damages arising out of (i) the failure to obtain a building loan mortgage on the property in accordance with the commitment from Chemical Bank, (ii) the failure to comply with the terms of such a building loan mortgage from Chemical Bank including, without limitation, the failure to obtain a permanent Certificate of Occupancy with respect to the property on or before March 15, 1976, and (iii) the failure to close the permanent mortgage financing for the property with The Lincoln Savings Bank in accordance with a letter from said Bank dated May 20, 1975, as amended on June 9, 1975.

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- 6. The general partners shall not, without the prior written consent of a majority of the limited partners:
- (a) Borrow money on behalf of the partnership, except from Chemical Bank and The Lincoln Savings

 Bank in accordance with the mortgages above referred to and uxust

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 (b) Place any mortgage on the property.

except to Chemical Bank and The Lincoln Savings Bank as set forth above nor prepay in whole or in part, refinance or otherwise modify any mortgage.

- (c) Enter into any ground lease covering the property or any space lease covering more than 25% of the property.
- (d) Enter into any transaction other than in the ordinary course of business.
- 7. Notwithstanding Section 12(c) of the agreement, the maximum management fee paid to any entity owned by the general partners shall not exceed 6% of the rent roll for the property.
- 8. In the sixth line from the bottom of Section 12(c), the word "personal" shall be inserted before the word "property".
- 9. Withdrawals from any bank account referred to in Article 13 of the agreement shall require the signature of not less than one of the general partners.
- 10. It is the intent of the parties to this agreement that distributions of net cash flow pursuant to article 9 hereof shall be made not less frequently than quarterly.

parties hereto arising under or relating to this agreement, such dispute shall be resolved by arbitration in New York City in accordance with the rules then obtaining of the American Arbitration Association.

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PREMISES:

This Certification is conditioned upon the filing and approval of a final application to be submitted to the Housing and Development Administration is conditioned upon the filing and the submission of the temporary or permanent Certificate of Occupancy issued by ninistration not less than 60 days prior to initial occupancy and the structure was completed by December 31, 1976. This Certification must be filled with the Department of Buildings as evidence of the fact that the structure was completed by December 31, 1976. This Certification must be filled with the New York gity Tax Commission between the next February 1st and Narch 15th. and a determination by the Administrator, the applicant, pursuant to Section 421 of the Real Property Tex Law and the Regulations of the Housing and a determination by the Administration issued pursuant thereto, is hereby granted this Preliminary Certification of Eligibility for Partial Tax Exemption and Development Administration issued pursuant thereto, is hereby granted this Preliminary Certification of Eligibility for Partial Tax Exemption for the above premises, except as to those portions of the new building, if any, which are non-residential or hotel parts of a mixed building.

Commissioner/Department of Development ROGER STARR, Administrator

Department of Development Deputy Commissioner

EXHIBIT C

CHEMICAL Subsidiery of Chemical New York Corporation

277 Park Avenue, New York, NY 10017 Tel; (212) 922-6168 Paul E. Culley, II Assistant Vice President

August 6, 1975

P & J Realty Co. 100 West 15th Street New York, New York 10011

Re: 91 West 7th Avenue Project

Gentlemen:

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Chemical Bank (Lender) is pleased to inform you that its Credit Committee has approved your request for a construction loan (the Loan) in the amount of \$1,200,000 to be made to you (or to a corporation designated by you and approved by Lender) (Borrower). The Loan is to be evidenced by a note (the Note) of Borrower and is to be secured by a first mortgage (the Mortgage) on the Borrower's fee title interest in a parcel of land containing approximately 12,913 sq.ft., located at the southeastern corner of the intersection of W. 16th St. and Seventh Avenue in Manhattan, New York (the Premises), and the improvements thereon consisting of a six-story plus basement brick factory-loft building which is to be renovated into a sixstory plus basement multi-use building containing 69 apartments and two commercial areas (the Improvements) (The Premises and Improvements hereinafter referred to collectively as the Real Property). The Loan is to be advanced pursuant to a Building Loan Agreement to be made between Lender and Borrower (the Building Loan Agreement).

Renovation of the Improvements has commenced and completion (as determined by the Lender's supervising engineer) shall be required by January 31, 1976. It shall be further required that a permanent Certificate of Occupancy be obtained by March 15, 1976. The Loan shall mature approximately nine months from the date of closing, but in no event later than 30 days prior to the expiration of the Permanent Loan Commitment hereinafter referred to. Interest shall be payable monthly, on the first

day of each month, calculated on the outstanding balance of the Loan at a rate equal to 3% per annum plus Chemical Bank's prime rate in effect from time to time. Adjustments in the interest rate shall be effective as of the date on which a change in Chemical Bank's prime rate occurs. Said interest shall be computed for the actual number of days which have elapsed from the date of each advance calculated on the basis of a 360-day year.

Lender's obligation to make the Loan is subject to the terms and conditions contained in this letter and in Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof, and to the receipt and approval by Lender of:

joint and several guarantees of Joseph Gardner, Peter Weisman, and their respective spouses of:

a) payment of the Note

- b) completion of the Borrower's obligations under the Building Loan Agreement,
- joint and several indemnification against losses to Lender resulting from the sale of the Note and Mortgage after:

b) loss of the Permanent Loan Commitment hereinafter referred to,

the indemnification shall be executed by Joseph Gardner, Peter Weisman, and their respective spouses,

the commitment for permanent financing of the Real Property executed by The Lincoln Savings Bank and accepted by Borrower dated May 20, 1975, and as 3) amended June 9, 1975, (The Permanent Loan Commitment), together with a satisfactory Buy-Sell Agreement executed by the Borrower, Lender, and The Lincoln Savings Bank.

If the foregoing is satisfactory to you, kindly indicate your acceptance thereof and your agreement to borrow the proceeds of the Loan from the Lender upon the terms and conditions contained herein and in the exhibits hereto, by signing and returning the enclosed copy of this letter together with Exhibit A, which together constitute the Commitment, to Lender at the address indicaCase 1:06-cv-05998-WHP Document 1-3 Filed 08/07/2006 Page 28 of 40

ted above within 15 days from the date hereof, otherwise the commitment will, at the option of Lender, be nugatory.

Very truly yours,

CHEMICAL BANK

Paul E. Culley, II

Assistant Vice President of Chemical Realty Corporation Attorney-in-Fact.

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Agreed and Accepted this _______ day of August, 1975:

P & J REALTY CO.

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Exhibit D

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AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION	v	
In the Arbitration Concerning	A	
160 Associates L.P. Between:	:	
Charlotte Gardner and Danielle Gardner,	:	
Individually, and as Trustees of the		
Article SIXTH Trust created by the	:	
Last Will and Testament of Joseph H. Gardner		
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Claimants,		
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- against -		
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PETER WEISMAN,		
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Respondent.		
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DEMAND FOR ARBITRATION AND STATEMENT OF CLAIM

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT unless, within twenty days after service of this Demand for Arbitration and Statement of Claim, you apply to stay the arbitration herein pursuant to Article 75 of the Civil Practice Law and Rules, you will thereafter be precluded from objecting that a valid agreement was not made or has not been complied with and from asserting in court the bar of a limitation of time.

The Claimants are the trustees of a trust, created by the Last Will and Testament of Joseph H Gardner (the "Trust"). Joseph Gardner died on March 1, 2006. Danielle Gardner and Charlotte Gardner, individually, are also the owners of limited partnership interests in 160 Associates L.P. Claimants hereby demand arbitration pursuant to the arbitration provision of the 160 Associates L.P. Partnership Agreement, executed in 1975 (the "Agreement"), which is incorporated by reference herein. (A true copy of the arbitration provision is attached hereto as Exhibit A.)

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Preliminary Statement

- 1. This action arises out of the breaches of contract and fiduciary duty by the Respondent Peter Weisman ("Weisman"). For many years, Weisman and Joseph H. Gardner conducted business together as co-general partners in many successful real estate partnerships, including 160 Associates L.P. ("160 Associates" or the "Partnership").
- 160 Associates is the owner of valuable real property located at 156-60
 West 16th Street, also known as 91-97 Seventh Avenue in Manhattan (the "Property"), which,
 for many years, provided to Peter Weisman and Joseph Gardner a stream of income.
- 3. Since Joseph Gardner's death on March 1, 2006, Weisman has wrongfully attempted to seize control of the Partnership and unilaterally sell the Property over the objection of the Gardner family, in violation of the Agreement and his fiduciary duties as a partner.

Background

- 4. In 1975, Peter Weisman and Joseph Gardner entered into an Agreement of Limited Partnership, whereby each became a co-general partner in an entity which had acquired the Property on January 24, 1975. As stated in the Agreement, the purpose of their partnership was, inter alia, "to remodel, reconstruct, own, manage, mortgage, create security interests in, lease, improve, exchange, sell or otherwise transfer or dispose of the property."
- 5. Under Section 12 of the Agreement, the General Partners (defined in the Agreement as Peter Weisman and Joseph Gardner), together, have exclusive authority to manage and control the Partnership. Section 12 provides that "[t]he General Partners shall manage the Partnership business ..."

- 6. Until Joseph Gardner's death on March 1, 2006, the general partners had a successful working relationship to run the Partnership's business. Joseph Gardner handled all of the Partnership's business, including the daily management and operation of the Property and the Partnership. He managed all of the properties and real estate partnerships held by the two partners, through P&J Realty Management, LLC ("P&J Realty"), and out of P&J Realty's offices in New York City from the inception of the Partnership until the time of his death. For more than the past ten years, Weisman has lived and worked in South Carolina.
- 7. Joseph Gardner's Last Will and Testament designated that his general partnership interest in 160 Associates would pass to a Trust, (the income from which would support his surviving wife, Charlotte) and upon his wife's death, to his daughter, Danielle Gardner, as it was his intention and desire that his family business would remain viable and continue to support his family, with his daughter, Danielle, essentially replacing him.¹
- 8. An amendment to the Agreement, dated August 25, 2004 (the "Amendment"), provides as follows:
 - 4. The term of the partnership shall be from the date hereof to December 31, 2028, providing however, that the partnership shall be dissolved prior to such date upon:...(c) the death or withdrawal event (as defined in the New York Revised Limited Partnership Act) of any General Partner unless, within 90 days after such withdrawal event, the remaining General Partners, if any, and a majority in interest of the Limited Partners agree in writing to continue the business of the partnership and to the appointment of one or more additional or substitute general partners, if necessary or desired.

A proceeding for construction of the Will was commenced in the Surrogate's Court of the State of New York, New York County, on July 14, 2006.

- 9. Since the death of Joseph H. Gardner on March 1, 2006, Peter Weisman has acted in derogation of the Agreement and the Amendment by, among other things, wrongfully attempting to seize control of the Partnership, and to offer the Property either for sale or as a possible condominium conversion, without consulting with the Trust or receiving its approval.
- 10. In a letter dated "May ___, 2006," received by Claimants on May 11, 2006, Weisman unilaterally decreed, "I shall not elect to dissolve the partnerships but shall continue to act as sole General Partner ..."
- 11. Subsequently, Weisman consented to the substitution of the Trust as a substitute general partner.² However, despite such consent, he has continued to act as if he is the sole general partner.

The Partnership Operates Through P&J Realty

- 12. Upon information and belief, the Partnership, long before the death of Joseph Gardner, appointed P&J Realty to act as its agent for purposes of managing and operating the Partnership and the Property.
- 13. Section 5(b) of the Operating Agreement of P&J Realty Management,

 LLC (the "P&J Agreement") provides, in relevant part, as follows with respect to the authority to
 manage the business and affairs of P&J Realty:
 - b. The Managers shall have exclusive authority to manage and control the business and affairs of the Company although any manager may participate in ministerial and other non-management activities of the Company. Pursuant to the foregoing, the Managers shall have all of the rights and powers as Managers

The partnership interests of Weisman and the partnership interests of the heirs of Joseph H. Gardner, together, comprise a majority of the ownerships interests in the Partnership.

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provided by law subject only to such restrictions contained in this Agreement. Any actions taken by the Managers shall constitute the act of, and serve to bind, the Company. In dealing with the Managers acting on behalf of the Company, no person shall be required to inquire into the authority of such Manager to bind the Company. All decisions of the Managers shall be unanimous, although following a decision by the Managers, any one Manager can effectuate such decision (by signing of documents, etc.).

(Emphasis supplied.)

- 14. Pursuant to the terms of the P&J Agreement, there are to be two Managers of P&J Realty. The original Managers were Joseph Gardner and Weisman. Upon the death of Joseph Gardner, and pursuant to the terms of the P&J Agreement, Danielle Gardner was designated to act as his successor Manager.
- 15. As a matter of practice, all of the partnerships and properties held by Joseph Gardner and Weisman have always been managed and operated through P&J Realty out of P&J Realty's offices. Indeed, the Partnership's business has been operated out of a master bank account in the name of P&J Realty and work necessary to run the business has been performed by P&J employees.
- 16. To the extent that Agreement is not clear with respect to how the Partnership was to operate, which it is, the panel must look to the terms of the P&J Realty Agreement as all of the Partnership's business was conducted through P&J Realty. The P&J Realty Agreement makes it clear that no decision may be made without the consent of both Managers; namely, at the present time, Weisman and Danielle Gardner.

Peter Weisman's Wrongful Acts

17. Without consulting with the Trust, which shares equal managerial authority and power with Weisman under the Agreement, or with Danielle Gardner, the Co-#603193 v5 \18955 \text{V01}

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Manager of P&J Realty, Weisman has undertaken to sell the Property. The Property is the principal asset of the Partnership and its sale will mean the end of the Partnership as a viable, income producing entity.

- 18. Claimants have learned that Weisman has engaged a valuation firm, which has provided him with a valuation of the Property in the amount of \$37 million.
- 19. Claimants have also learned that Weisman has taken steps to acquire air rights from the Metropolitan Transportation Authority, the owners of a generator plant located next to the Property, and that Weisman intends to sell the Property, along with the air rights, to the developer of a high rise condominium.
- 20. Claimants have further learned that Weisman has already spoken to an attorney about the possibility of converting the Property to a condominium.
- 21. The actions described above in paragraphs 17 through 20 have been undertaken over the objection of Claimants, which objection has been disregarded.
- 22. The actions described above in paragraphs 17 through 20 constitute violations of the Agreement and violations of Weisman's fiduciary duties.
- 23. Weisman's attempt to sell the Property without consulting with the Trustees of the Trust, and over their objection, violates Section 12 of the Agreement, which vests each general partner with equal management powers. His conduct also violates Section 5(b) of the P&J Realty Agreement.
- Weisman's attempt to sell the Property violates his fiduciary duty to his 24. partners, as the Property is the principal asset of the Partnership and its sale will mean the end of the Partnership as a viable, income producing entity.

The Invalid Right of First Refusal Agreement

- 25. By letter dated May 29, 2006, Weisman and the Trust agreed that either general partner would have the right to market and sell the Property owned by the Partnership as long as the other general partner would have a right of first refusal with respect to such sale in that the non-selling general partner could agree to purchase the selling general partner's interest, and all related or limited partnership interests of the selling general partner, at a price equivalent to the amount that the selling general partner would have received had the property been sold to the third party upon the terms of any offer from a third party that the selling general partner was willing to accept.
- 26. Such agreement contemplated that the Partnership would continue to own and operate the Property if such right of first refusal was ever exercised.
- 27. The validity of the agreement concerning such right of first refusal has been challenged on the basis that the limited partners affected by it did not agree to this right of first refusal. Paragraph 12(c) of the Agreement requires the general partners to obtain the consent of the limited partners if the Property is to be sold. The New York Revised Limited Partnership Act also speaks to the validity of such agreement as it affects the rights of the limited partners and was not agreed to, or consented to, by them. Weisman however, continues to rely on the purported validity of the agreement. Accordingly, a declaration from the panel as to its validity is required to resolve this controversy.

Dispute Resolution Under the Agreement

28. Section 11 of the Agreement provides that:

In the event of any dispute between the parties hereto arising under or relating to this agreement, such dispute shall be resolved by

29. Accordingly, in light of the dispute described above, Weisman must submit to the jurisdiction of this panel.

The Claims

- 30. As set forth above, Weisman has:
 - (a) acted in contravention of the terms of the Agreement, thereby breaching it; and
 - (b) violated his fiduciary duties; and
 - (c) violated the partnership laws of the State of New York.
- 31. Claimants are entitled to the following relief based upon the allegations set forth herein:
 - (a) a permanent injunction, enjoining Weisman from violating the Agreement by, among other things, acting unilaterally to sell, or offer for sale, the assets of the Partnership;
 - (b) a declaratory judgment concerning the validity of the right of first refusal agreement set forth in the May 29, 2006 letter and referred to above in paragraphs 25 through 27; and
 - (c) reimbursement of attorneys' fees, costs and expenses incurred in this arbitration, in accordance with the terms of the Agreement.

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Claimants also reserve the right to amend this pleading and Claimant's request for relief after review of documents to be produced and other appropriate discovery of the facts.

Claimants request such other and further relief as the panel deems equitable and just.

Dated: New York, New York July 17, 2006

MORRISON COHEN LLP

Y. David Scharf

Jay R. Speyer Daniel Branower

909 Third Avenue New York, New York 10022 (212) 735-8600 Attorneys for Claimants

Arbitration No.

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION

In the Arbitration Concerning
160 Associates L.P. Between

Charlotte Gardner and Danielle Gardner,
Individually, and as Trustees of the
Article SIXTH Trust created by the
Last Will and Testament of Joseph H. Gardner

Claimants,

-against
PETER WEISMAN,

Respondent.

The undersigned being duly sworn, deposes and says:

) ss.:

- 1. Deponent is not a party to the action, is over 18 years of age and resides in Westbury, New York.
- 2. On the 17th day of July, 2006, deponent served a copy of the DEMAND FOR ARBITRATION AND STATEMENT OF CLAIM upon:

Peter Weisman 110 S. Summer Street Edgartown, MA 02539

STATE OF NEW YORK

COUNTY OF NEW YORK)

by depositing a true copy of same enclosed in a properly addressed wrapper, in the custody of Federal Express, an overnight delivery service, prior to the latest time designated by Federal Express for overnight delivery.

Gina L. Crews

Sworn to before me this 17th day of July, 2006.

Notary Public

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CHRISTINE CORDERO
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 01CO4613788
Qualified in Westchester County
Commission Expires Aug. 31, 20

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11. In the event of any dispute between the parties hereto arising under or relating to this agreement, such dispute shall be resolved by arbitration in New York City in accordance with the rules then obtaining of the American Arbitration Association.

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